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Applicant: Thomas T. Hansen et al.
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Docket: 1063.004US1

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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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In compliance with the duty imposed by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, and in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 et seq., the enclosed materials are brought to the attention of the Examiner for consideration in connection with the above-identified patent application.

With regards to Bennett, Momentum, Heat, and Mass Transfer, (1974) and Bird, Transport Phenomena, (1960), in lieu of sending the entire books, we are providing the table of contents for each. We will provide copies of the entire books upon request.

Applicants are submitting herewith German Patent 4041063 with an English abstract. Applicants submit that the English abstract, attached to the front of the patent, is a concise explanation of the relevancy of DE 4041063 as it is presently understood and as required under 37 C.F.R. 1.98(a)(3). Accordingly, the Examiner is respectfully requested to acknowledge consideration of the German patent. For the Examiner's convenience, the German patent has been listed on the enclosed Form 1449, and a duplicate copy of the document with the English abstract is enclosed herewith.

Applicants respectfully request that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents listed on the attached Form 1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. Pursuant to the provisions of MPEP 609, Applicants further request that a copy of the 1449 form, initialed by the Examiner to indicate that all listed citations have been considered, be returned with the next official communication.

Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b)(3), it is believed that no fee or certificate is required with this Information Disclosure Statement. However, if an Office Action on the merits has been mailed, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Account No. 19-0743.

The Examiner is invited to contact the Applicants' Representatives at the below-listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this communication.

Respectfully submitted,

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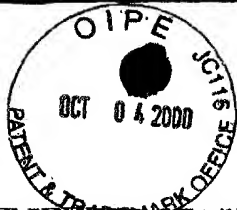
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COMMUNICATION CONCERNING CO-PENDING APPLICATION(S)

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Applicant would like to bring to the Examiner's attention the following related co-pending application(s) in the above-identified patent application:

Serial No.	Filing Date	Attorney Docket	Title
08/855,228	05/13/1997	01063.003US1	HIGH POWER ULTRASONIC MOTOR

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